

# THE GREYHOUND

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## Hound's vs. Catholic U. In Tourney

### Hounds Need Big Man Next Year

With the arrival of the tournament the basketball season comes to a close. And every year one cannot help trying to estimate how the Hounds will fair next season.

There are three things that come to mind in considering this: Who is returning from this years team, what prospects there are on the "B" team and what the team's record is this year?

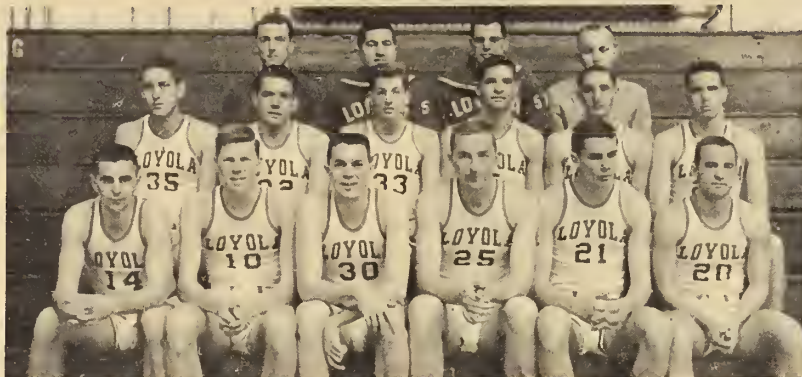
John Heagney, Ed Murn and Steve Bogusky are seasoned veterans, who should give the Hounds a good nucleus around which to build a starting five. Heagney has been the leading scorer for Hounds in the past two seasons while Ed Murn was the top rebounder this year. Murn's improved scoring and Bogusky's improved all around playing should mean that they will be more effective next year.

The problem comes in trying to fill the spots vacated by O'Hara and Sneeringer. Freshman Phil Potter who, the only freshman on the varsity, appears to be a strong candidate to replace O'Hara due to his rebounding abilities.

Other present members of the Hounds who will be trying for one of the starting slots are Tony Torba, Dave Carney, George Yurek, Jim Kennedy and John Kilkenny.

The "B" team has several players with a lot of potential, but, in order to make the jump to a starting berth, coach Reitz says, "They must develop emotionally along with gaining a great deal of experience in order to make the grade."

The real yardstick on which to estimate next year's chances has yet to be resolved. That is how the Hounds fared this season which cannot be determined until after the tournament.



The Greyhounds

### GREYHOUND SPORTS

By ROL STURM

Greyhound Sports Editor

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Every year about this time everyone is comparing the records of the various teams in the conference. The Hound's overall record of 10-9 is not sensational when you compare it with the records compiled by A.U. or the Mount.

Records, however, do not always tell the whole story. First, you must consider the scores of the Hounds games with these two schools and the various caliber of the different opponents faced by the schools.

In both A.U. games and one Mount game the Hounds were beaten by a mere two points and in the second A.U. game they were without the services of Mike Sneeringer for the last five minutes.

The whole point of this article is not to make excuses, but merely to emphasize the fact that regardless of records, recruiting policies or anything else, none of the Hound's possible opponents in the tournament will be taking them for granted.

### 3 Seniors Make Final Appearance

For Mike Sneeringer, Joe O'Hara and Tom Gray the tournament represents their final appearance in college basketball. With this in mind they will be out to make it a memorable tournament and a fitting climax to their basketball days at Loyola.

#### Sneeringer Shots

Co-captain Mike Sneeringer, who had no high school basketball experience, came to Loyola after serving a two year stint in the Army. Initially Mike was a fine shot, but his defense and all around game was a little weak. This year he has shown that he has mastered his weak points and developed into a fine all-around player. Mike's development was slowed by an appendix operation which sidelined him for the best part of his sophomore year.

Mike was responsible for one of the finest scoring displays ever performed by a Loyola player. Last year at Adelphi College in New York, he sank seven straight shots from outside the circle in less than 4 minutes.

#### The Rebounders

Joe O'Hara the other co-captain was an outstanding high school basketball player at Poly. Since coming to Loyola, Joe has been a fine rebounder and a good scorer. He is currently the second leading scorer on the team.

Tom Gray is another player who had no high school experience. In his sophomore year, Tom was the leading scorer on the "B" team and since then he has been a good reserve for the Hounds.

By Pete Cook

With their 110-80 victory over Towson State in last Saturday's playoff, the Loyola College basketball team advances to the twentieth annual Mason-Dixon Conference Tournament. The Hounds play the third of four games at Catholic University tonight (8:30 p.m.) when they clash with the host club.

#### Lady Luck

After four teams finished in a deadlock for second place in the regular season, the Greyhounds won a draw which put them in second place in the final loop standings. This gave them the right to meet Towson State who finished last in the circuit.

#### C. U. Third

Since the league has two divisions Northern and Southern, the participating clubs have inter-division tilts with one another. The first team in each division battles the other division's last, while each loop's No. 2 team plays the other's No. 3. Catholic U. finished third by virtue of its 79-44 conquest of Lynchburg.

#### Sneeringer Tops

In coasting to the victory over Towson State, five of the Hounds registered double figures with Mike Sneeringer taking top spoils with 22, followed by Steve Bogusky's 19 and Ed Murn's 17.

#### Improved Team

The Cardinals will be no push-over tonight. In regular season play, the Hounds barely squeezed by the Washingtonian's (53-51) here at Evergreen. This time C.U. has the advantage of the home court and since the two clubs first meeting has improved tremendously.

The Hounds also have come along way since last time. Sparked by a win over Belmont Abbey, the Green and Gray have steadily improved and should be at their peak for the tournament.



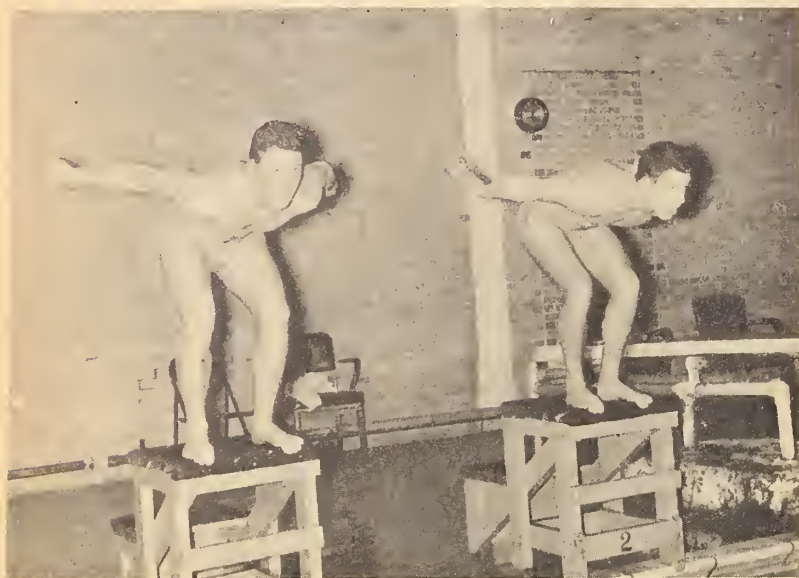
Senior Joe O'Hara takes jumper while Mike Sneeringer (30) the other Senior on starting five watches.



John Heagney  
Top scorer for the Hounds



# M-D SWIM TOURNNEY AT GALLAUDET



No you're not seeing double — it's Peter and Seeley Powler — spark-plugs of Loyola's fine swim team.

## Newcomers Help Smimming Team

By PETE COOK

If there was one word that summed up the success of the Loyola College swimming team this year it would have to be "freshmen". Although each member of the team contributed to the outstanding record of the mermen, Ken Freimuth, Marty Pilsch, and Jim Burns, all freshmen, did an outstanding job.

### Record Breaker

Freimuth, a standout at Mt. St. Joseph's High School, was unbeaten in the 200 yd. breast stroke and set a new Evergreen pool mark of 2:31.8 in that event. He also performed in the individual medley and butterfly while ranking third on the team in scoring with 62.50.

### A Surprise

Pilsch, who prepped at City College, was nothing short of spectacular. Overshadowed at the beginning of the season, he was not counted on too heavily and didn't even start in the first meet. However he soon blossomed out as the team's No. 1 scorer and is currently the second ranking point-getter with 66.50. Marty's specialties are the 220 and 440 freestyles.

### Burns' Back

Burns, who had no prep experience, first came out as a diver and did a credible job. Klarner however, in his pressing need for backstrokers converted him into a topnotch performer in that event.

Besides these three, sophomore Lew Smith, another newcomer to the team, has made his presence felt. Klarner saw the cross-country ace working out in the pool and asked him to come out for the team. Lew now has the second best time in the league for the 200 yd. backstroke.

## Powleys Pack Power, Punch

When opposing swimming teams see the two Powley brothers, Seeley and Pete, take starting blocks in the 50 and 100 yard freestyle they usually take another look. But the twin-brothers not only look alike, but also spell double trouble for the opposition, as they will find out after the race is over.

### Had No Experience

Neither had any experience in high school, but their desire and intensive competitive spirit have drove them to the top of the conference freestyle sprinters.

### Their Value

To point out the Powleys' value to the team over their first three years, these facts can be used: 1st year they got 12% of the team's scoring; 2nd year they got 28% of the total and this year they earned 20%. This averages out to 20% of the total team points in the last three years.

### Tournament Talk

This year in the tournament, the brothers will be gunning for Larry Williams of A. U. who beat Peter by one-tenth of a second during this year's regular season meet.



Standout diver Vic Corbin



The Hound Natators

## Swimmers Finish Season With Try For M-D Crown

By Sam Levin

As the aquamen of Loyola put the finishing touches on their season today and tomorrow in the Mason-Dixon tournament at Gallaudet, there is much to look back upon in what has been one of our most successful swimming seasons to date.

Their victories were all by very impressive margins and their losses were to excellent schools with the "Hounds" in there fighting all the way, even though they ended up on the short end of the score.

### What about next year

This year many of the freshman came through in fine style for coach Klarner making the year a joy, but next year should be even better. The one thing which made American U. the great team that they were was the fact that they had lost no men from their previous year's team. Next year, the "Hounds" will find themselves in this most enviable position. No team members will be lost by graduation and a year of already having worked together will give them more confidence and ability.

### Earl Schmidt Memorial Medal

With this year almost wrapped up competitionwise for the team, everyone on it is thinking who will be the worthy recipient of the Earl Schmidt Memorial Award. Almost anyone on the team might receive it. It is given by the Swimming Alumni of Loyola, not to the biggest point getter or swimmer with the most ability, but this is given to the best all around team man. The boy that has the greatest will to win will receive it even though he might have been a dead last every time he swam. The boy is chosen by his teammates and is not aware of his having won the award until after the year and at the athletic banquet.

Paul Karpers won last year, and who knows who will win it this year.

By Bill Lohnes

American U. and Loyola emerge as the odds-on favorites, with Roanoke C. given an outside chance, to win the 1960 Mason-Dixon Swimming Tournament, which gets underway about 8:30 tomorrow night at Gallaudet C. in Washington. The finals of the Tourney will be held Saturday, at 3:30 p.m.

No less than five Tournament records appear ready to fall, with Loyola natators having a chance to shatter the 400 yd. medley relay, the 200 yd. butterfly, 200 yd. breaststroke, and the 400 yd. freestyle relay marks.

### Broken Records

Last Saturday, against C.U. the aqua-Hounds set a new home and team mark in the medley relay, when Lew Smith, Ken Freimuth, Paul Karpers, and Peter Powley, sprinted the 400 yd. distance in 9:20.4, a full 8.2 seconds better than the 4:33.6 M-D Tournament record.

Ken Freimuth has the best chance to bring home individual honors. Freimuth should better both the butterfly (2:42) and the breaststroke (2:38.1) marks, held by Don Madd of C.U. and swim coach Bill Klarner of Loyola, respectively.

### Relay Mark in Jeopardy

Loyola, as well as American U., is also close to the Tourney mark of 3:52.6 set in 1957 by Catholic U. in the 400 yd. freestyle relay.

The other four contenders, Lynchburg, Gallaudet, Randolph-Macon, and Catholic U., all have individual stars, but do not figure to be in contention for the team championship.

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